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I, Dr. Klaus Kuelper hereby declare:

1. I am an inventor of the subject matter disclosed and claimed in the above-identified application (hereinafter "the present application").

2. In 1981, I received the Diploma degree in Chemistry from University of Hamburg, Germany.

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